

**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
(Small Entity)**

*(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))*

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
**Box Patent Application**  
**Washington, D.C. 20231**

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**FILTERED SHOWERHEAD**

and invented by:

**DAVID K. FARLEY**

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**Application Elements**

1.  Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
  
2.  Specification having 12 pages and including the following:
  - a.  Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - b.  Cross References to Related Applications (*if applicable*)
  - c.  Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (*if applicable*)
  - d.  Reference to Microfiche Appendix (*if applicable*)
  - e.  Background of the Invention
  - f.  Brief Summary of the Invention
  - g.  Brief Description of the Drawings (*if drawings filed*)
  - h.  Detailed Description
  - i.  Claim(s) as Classified Below
  - j.  Abstract of the Disclosure

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3.  Drawing(s) (when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)  
a.  Formal      b.  Informal      Number of Sheets ONE (1)
4.  Oath or Declaration
  - a.  Newly executed (*original or copy*)       Unexecuted
  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (*for continuation/divisional application only*)
  - c.  With Power of Attorney       Without Power of Attorney
  - d.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5.  Incorporation By Reference (*usable if Box 4b is checked*)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied  
under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby  
incorporated by reference therein.
6.  Computer Program in Microfiche
7.  Genetic Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all must be included*)
  - a.  Paper Copy
  - b.  Computer Readable Copy
  - c.  Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy

## Accompanying Application Parts

8.  Assignment Papers (*cover sheet & documents*)
9.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)
10.  English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
11.  Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449       Copies of IDS Citations
12.  Preliminary Amendment
13.  Acknowledgment postcard
14.  Certificate of Mailing

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15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)

16.  Small Entity Statement(s) - Specify Number of Statements Submitted: ONE (1)

17.  Additional Enclosures (*please identify below*):

**DRAWING TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**Fee Calculation and Transmittal**

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

For	#Filed	#Allowed	#Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	17	- 20 =	0	x \$11.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	3	- 3 =	0	x \$41.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>				\$0.00
				<b>BASIC FEE</b>	<b>\$380.00</b>
OTHER FEE (specify purpose)					
				<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$380.00</b>

A check in the amount of \$380.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

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N/A	CONCURRENTLY	N/A	N/A	N/A

Invention: FILTERED SHOWERHEAD

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Transmitted herewith are:

ONE (1) sheets of formal drawing(s) for this application.

Each sheet of drawing indicates the identifying indicia suggested in 37 CFR Section 1.84(c) on the reverse side of the drawing.

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I certify that this document and attached formal drawings are being deposited on June 28 1999 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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